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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s): Patrick W. Bartlett

For (title): DEVICE FOR PREVENTING ENTRY OF AN UNLEADED GAS
FILL NOZZLE IN A DIESEL FUEL FILLER NECK

1. Type of Application

This application is for an original (nonprovisional).

2. Papers Enclosed

A. Required for filing date under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) (Regular) or 37 C.F.R. § 1.153 (Design)
Application

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11 Page(s) of Specification
 6 Page(s) of Claims
 5 Sheet(s) of Drawing(s)--Formal
 1 Page of Abstract

B. Other Papers Enclosed

2 Page(s) of declaration and power of attorney

3. Declaration or Oath

Enclosed

Executed by:

* inventor.

4. Inventorship Statement

The inventorship for all the claims in this application is the same.

5. Language

English

6. Assignment

An assignment of the invention to Bartlett Transportation Group, Inc. is attached.

7. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. § 1.16)

Regular Application									
CLAIMS AS FILED									
								Basic Fee 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(a) \$750.00	
Number Filed		Number Extra			Rate				
Total									
Claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(c))	25	-	20	=	5	x	\$ 18.00	=	\$ 90.00
Independent									
Claims (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(b))	2	-	3	=	0	x	\$ 84.00	=	\$ 0.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(d))							\$ 280.00	\$	0.00
Filing Fee Calculation								\$840.00	

8. Assertion of Small Entity Status

Applicant hereby asserts status as a small entity under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

Filing Fee Calculation (50% of above Filing Fee Calculation) \$420.00

9. Fee Payment Being Made at This Time

Enclosed

Filing Fee \$420.00

Recording assignment (\$40; 37 C.F.R. § 1.21(h)) (See attached "COVER SHEET FOR ASSIGNMENT ACCOMPANYING NEW APPLICATION".) \$40.00

Total Fees Enclosed \$460.00

10. Method of Payment of Fees

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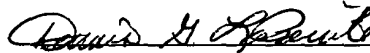
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11. Instructions as to Overpayment

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